

**OFFICIAL RETURN OF VOTES FOR WESTFORD
ANNUAL EWSD MEETING
APRIL 13, 2021**

RECONCILIATION OF CHECKLIST TO BALLOTS

Total registered voters on checklist	<u>1703</u>	
Total number of voters checked off entrance checklist	<u>484</u>	
Total number of absentee ballots returned	<u>457</u>	(included in number above)
Total Ballots voted at polling place	<u>484</u>	
Total Defective Ballots	<u>4</u>	
Total Ballots counted at polling place	<u>480</u>	

For Moderator (1 yr)

John Sonnick	<u>384</u>
Write-ins	<u>1</u>
Over votes	<u>0</u>
Under votes (blanks)	<u>95</u>
Total Votes Counted	<u>480</u>

For Clerk (1 yr)

John Sonnick	<u>384</u>
Write-ins	<u>3</u>
Over votes	<u>0</u>
Under votes (blanks)	<u>93</u>
Total Votes Counted	<u>480</u>

For Treasurer (1 yr)

Susan McNamara-Hill	<u>386</u>
Write-ins	<u>2</u>
Over votes	<u>0</u>
Under votes (blanks)	<u>92</u>
Total Votes Counted	<u>480</u>

For School Director (3 yrs)

Scott Cooledge	<u>383</u>
Write-ins	<u>5</u>
Over votes	<u>0</u>
Under votes (blanks)	<u>92</u>
Total Votes Counted	<u>480</u>

Article IV – To authorize the Essex Westford School District to borrow money to be used for the payment of District expenses by the issuance of notes or orders payable not later than one year from date of issuance pending receipt of payments from the State Education Fund.

Yes	<u>342</u>
No	<u>128</u>
Over votes	<u>0</u>
Under votes	<u>10</u>
Total	<u>480</u>

Article V – Shall the voters of the Essex Westford School District approve the school board to expend \$81,732,048 which is the amount the school board has determined to be necessary for the ensuing fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021?

Yes	<u>354</u>
No	<u>149</u>
Over votes	<u>1</u>
Under votes	<u>6</u>
Total	<u>480</u>

Article VI – Shall the voters of the Essex Westford School District approve the school board to expend \$7,981,903 which is the amount the school board has determined necessary for the support of the Center for Technology, Essex for the ensuing fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021?

Yes	<u>361</u>
No	<u>114</u>
Over votes	<u>0</u>
Under votes	<u>5</u>
Total	<u>480</u>

Article VII – Shall the voters of the Essex Westford School District authorize the school board to allocate the Center for Technology, Essex FY'20 audited fund balance of \$490,000, without effect upon the District tax levy as follows: assign \$154,744 as revenue for the Center of Technology, Essex 2021-2022 operating budget and assign the remaining balance, \$335,256 as revenue for future operating budgets?

Yes	<u>371</u>
No	<u>99</u>
Over votes	<u>0</u>
Under votes	<u>10</u>
Total	<u>480</u>

Article VIII – Shall the voters of the Essex Westford School District assign any remaining surplus from the FY'20 fiscal year to support unanticipated expenses in the FY '22 fiscal year which are due to the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic?

Yes	<u>370</u>
No	<u>98</u>
Over votes	<u>0</u>
Under votes	<u>6</u>
Total	<u>480</u>

Ballots for this election are in 1 bag(s) with seal number 0114592

Two Signatures Required:

Nanette Bogn
Presiding Officer of Polling Place

Carlo Hamel
Other Election Official